



PATENT
3658-0103P

IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	WERNICKE et al.	Conf.:	5925
Appl. No.:	09/979,507	Group:	1651
Filed:	May 6, 2002	Examiner:	GITOMER, RALPH
For:	USE OF COLLAGENASE 3 AS A PROGNOSTIC MARKER FOR RHEUMATOID ARTHRITIS (as amended)		

SMALL ENTITY TRANSMITTAL FORM

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

November 5, 2003

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a reply under 37 CFR 1.111 in the above-identified application.

- ☒ Applicant claims small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.
- ☐ The enclosed document is being transmitted via the Certificate of Mailing provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.8.
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INDEPENDENT	2	-	3	=	0	\$ 43	\$0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM						\$145	\$0.00
						TOTAL	\$0.00

- ☒ Petition for one (1) month(s) extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.17 and 1.136(a). \$55.00 for the extension of time.
- ☐ No fee is required.
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- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2448 in the amount of \$0.00. This form is submitted in triplicate.

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Respectfully submitted,

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In reply to the outstanding Office Action dated July 7, 2003, the period for replying having been extended one (1) month to November 7, 2003, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

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